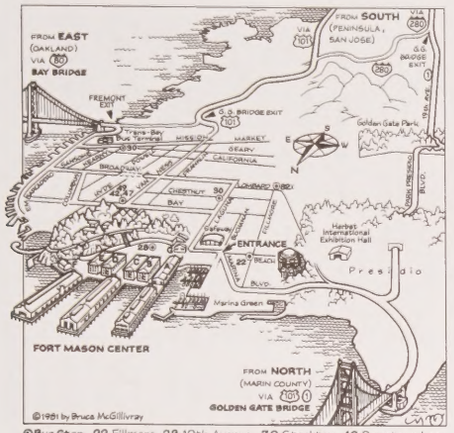

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INFORMATION

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Web site www.fortmason.org

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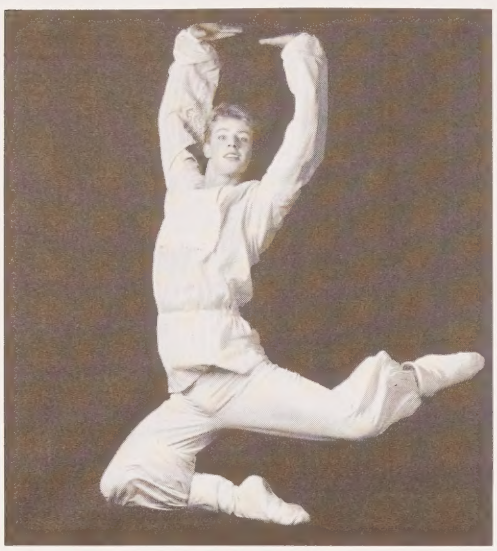
WORLD-CLASS DANCE

Smuin Ballets/SF kicks off its 1999/2000 season this month with the world premiere of two works by company founder Michael Smuin. One of the Bay Area's finest ballet troupes, Smuin Ballets/SF is a must-see local treasure, whose performances have won critical acclaim.

Besides the two world premieres, the performances—14 shows stretched out over three weeks—feature a company premiere and the return engagement of a Smuin favorite.



Smuin Ballets/SF
Photo: Marty Sohl

Les Noces (The Wedding) marks the collaboration of three Tony Award-winners: Artistic Director Smuin, costume designer Willa Kim, and scenic designer Tony Walton. Inspired by the Stravinsky work, *Les Noces* is a celebration of Russian folk traditions and wedding rites that recreates the look and feel of a Russian peasant village. This unique performance is a feast for the eyes.

The other world premiere, *Dream,* is another Smuin original—a pas de deux set to Frederic Chopin's "Romanza" from Piano Concerto No. 1 in E minor. The company premiere, *Quattro a Verdi,* was first performed by San Francisco Ballet in 1978, and given a special showing at the White House in 1982. Four soloists perform this piece, which features music from Verdi's operas *Il Trovatore* and *I vespri Siciliani.*

The program ends with the return of *Chants d'Auvergne (Songs of Auvergne),* which celebrates the music of France through sixteen folk songs orchestrated by Marie-Joseph Canteloube.

Award-winning choreographer Michael Smuin founded his company six years ago, after a long and successful career with San Francisco Ballet.

This season, the company's 14 dancers will give more than 66 performances throughout California. An appearance at Yerba Buena Center next spring includes a revival of two dramatic Smuin ballets, *Shinju* and *Medea.* Also look for Bay Area performances of *The Christmas Ballet.*

Smuin Ballets/SF appears November 3 through 21 in the Cowell Theater. Showtimes the first week (November 3 through 7) are Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday at 8pm, Sunday at 2pm. Showtimes the following weeks (November 11 through 21) are Thursday through Saturday at 8pm, Saturday and Sunday at 2pm. Tickets are $35 to $50. For information, call (415) 978-2787 or visit www.smuinballets.com.

HOLIDAY SHOPPING

Thanksgiving is just around the corner, and the holiday season upon us. Just as in years past, Fort Mason Center is a great place to shop for gifts for friends and family. Avoid the crush of Union Square, the glitter of the malls, and find that perfect gift that makes giving as rewarding as receiving.

For starters, there's the **Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale**. Over two weekends, November 5 and 6 and November 19 through 21, Hi-Ho Silver offers fine jewelry, handcrafted in Taxco, Mexico.

The San Francisco Craft and Folk Art Museum holds its annual **Art to Wear Fashion Sale** on November 13. On display are fine fashions, jewelry, and accessories from top Bay Area designers. The **13th Annual Studio Sale**, held November 19 through 21, also features the work of local designers: women's bags by the Bagg Lady, metal jewelry by Mendy Marks, pottery by Rose Lee, collage jewelry by Ramos Designs, and handwoven clothing by Rhonda Smith.

The weekend after Thanksgiving is, of course, the traditional start of the shopping season. On November 27 and 28, visitors to Fort Mason Center can shop for fine rugs, prints, furniture and other items at the **Antiques and Collectibles Market** or pick up a New Age gift at the **Great San Francisco Crystal Fair.** Those celebrating Christmas can select the perfect tree for their living room at the **Guardsmen Tree Lot**, starting November 26. The Guardsmen are a local nonprofit organization, and every tree purchased helps support the group's programs for underprivileged children and youth.

Finally, there are the **gift shops**: the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society, Museo ItaloAmericano, The Mexican Museum, and the San Francisco Craft and Folk Art Museum have extra items in stock for the holiday season. The Craft and Folk Art Museum even has extended its hours starting November 26; see the galleries page for details.

THE NATURAL WORLD OF FRANS LANTING

In 1998, nature photographer Frans Lanting undertook the greatest challenge of his career. On assignment for National Geographic, he traveled non-stop to fourteen different countries to produce images for a global perspective on the earth's ecosystems at the turn of the millennium. Eighty-three pages of his images were published in the February 1999 biodiversity issue, the longest single-photographer article in the history of the magazine.

Through his eyes as a photographer, naturalist, and conservationist, Frans Lanting shares his perspective on the natural world during an evening of visual marvel. Lanting presents "Pulse of the Planet," an illustrated slide lecture which focuses on his experience photographing for the National Geographic biodiversity issue.

As a child, the Dutch-born Lanting identified closely with a boy named Nils Holgersson, a popular character from a series of children's book by Swedish author Selma Lagerlof. Shrunk by a magician to less than half his original size, Nils became accepted into the animal world.The stories instilled in Lanting a sense of wonder and need for ecoconsciousness. "I stay with wild animals," says Lanting, "and then come back to my own people and tell them about life in nature."

Lanting's work has earned him a place among the very best of nature photographers, as well as numerous prestigious awards including the Ansel Adams and Sierra Club Awards; National Press Photographers Association Pictures of the Year (four times); BBC Wildlife Photographer of the Year (three times); World Press Photo (twice); and many, many more.

One of the most prolific photographers in his field, Lanting has contributed thousands of pictures to countless periodicals, including *Natural History, Audubon, Life,* and European magazines such as *Geo* and *Stern.* Numerous assignments for National Geographic have led him to exotic environs in places such as Antarctica, Madagascar, Botswana, Borneo, Belize, Peru, and the Congo Basin.

In a review of one of Lanting's fifteen nature books, *Okavango: Africa's Last Eden,* Photo District News' Nancy Madlin wrote "Lanting's commitment to wildlife photography is justly legendary. It's hard to believe that, after we've seen so much, any book on African wildlife can still impress us to marveling. But that is exactly what this one does." Zoologist George B. Schaller wrote that Lanting "celebrates the land and its wildlife with spare, evocative prose and with photographs that are extraordinary in capturing motion, form and color. [He] possesses not only the clear vision and technical virtuosity of the world's best outdoor photographers, he also has the unusual ability to create mood and mystery."

"Animals communicate a lot with body language and thus are very sensitive to what others are demonstrating with their bodies," says Lanting. And so it has become his working style to commit himself to their world first as an observer, sitting quietly among them, to allow time for them to become accustomed to his presence. He discovered the importance of this with sanderlings, a species of shorebird along the California coast, and extended it to animals around the world. From albatrosses and penguins to elephants and lions, Lanting gets close to his subjects. It is this intimacy that allows him to capture extraordinary glimpses into the lives of these animals.

The slide show and lecture, "The Natural World Of Frans Lanting" takes place November 30, Tuesday at 7pm in the Cowell Theater. For tickets and information, call (415) 777-1070.

FAMILY WINES

Almost two hundred wineries from around the Golden State offer samples of more than 600 different wines at the 9th annual tasting held by Family Winemakers of California.

Vintners hail from the Napa and Sonoma Valleys, from Southern California, the Central Coast, and points in between. The tasting, open to all, features a silent auction and fine foods as well as the great selection of wines.

This giant event is sponsored by the *San Francisco Examiner, Wine X* Magazine, *Appellation, Wine Enthusiast,* Winebid.com, *Wines & Vines,* and Winetoday.com.

Family Winemakers of California is an organization representing more than 340 California vintners in legislative and regulatory matters. Member wineries receive updates on issues that may impact their business, and can participate in media events and tastings such as this one.

The Family Winemakers of California 9th annual tasting takes place November 9, Tuesday from 5:30 to 8pm in the Festival Pavilion. Admission is $35, $25 in advance. For information call Fort Mason Ticket Service, (415) 441-FMTS, or visit www.familywinemakers.org.

Photo: Frans Lanting

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See article, "The Natural World of Frans Lanting"

TOOLS OF THE (ART) TRADE

Amsterdam Art again hosts its popular exposition of art supplies from more than 70 manufacturers. Representing all the usual offerings of the Bay Area art supply store, the Tools of the Trade Show features reduced items for artists of every stripe.

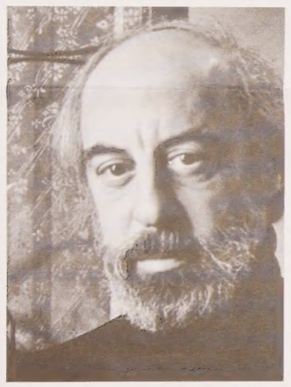
Companies such as Legion Paper, American Art Clay, and Faber Castell offer supplies ranging from pens, brushes, paints, and clay to easels, paper, and organizers.

This year, the expo introduces several special guests. Betty Edwards is the author of *Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain*, a guide to tapping into the brain's natural creativity. Watercolorist Tom Lynch, host of PBS's "The Magic of Watercolor," offers demonstrations and workshops in watercolor technique. Other guests at the expo include emerging California artist Robert Burridge, Daniel E. Greene (whose paintings are at the Metropolitan Museum of Art), plus Roy DeForest, Len Garon, and Zoltan Szabo.

More than 100 art classes offer the basics of oils, acrylics, watercolors, collage, printing, paper marbling, and other media. Choose from "Mural Painting with Acrylics," "Plein Aire Landscapes," "Silk Painting," "Expressive Impressionism," Cloud Effects," "Palette Knife Painting," and many others. Children's classes include "Self Portraits for Kids" and "Big Painting for Kids," as well as instruction in sculpture and drawing.

A series of seminars covers all aspects of dealing with the art world. Topics include pricing, using the internet, marketing, working with galleries, portfolios, photographing your art, and writing the perfect artist's statement.

The Art Materials Tools Of The Trade Show takes place November 5 through 7, Friday from 10am to 8pm, Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 6pm in the Herbst Pavilion. Admission is free. For information, call (888) 323-5454, extension 460.



Tools of the Trade
Painter/pastelist
Daniel E. Greene

Tools of the Trade
Children's workshop

ROOTS

An informal conference on the original inhabitants of the western United States discusses the indigenous cultures of the West. "Celebration of Indigenous Languages" is an academic/cultural event featuring panels, performances, presentations, and book displays. The event is sponsored by the Conference of Tlingit Tribes and Clans, the Before Columbus Foundation, Advocates for Indigenous California Language Survival, *News from Native California*, the Athabascan Language Consortium, Tagish First Nation, and the Survey of California and Other Indigenous Languages.

"Celebration of Indigenous Languages" takes place November 19 through 21, Friday from 7:30 to 9:30pm, Saturday from 9am to noon and 2 to 5pm, and Sunday from 9am to noon in the Firehouse. Admission is free. For information, call (510) 549-3564.

WHAT ABOUT BILL AND WOODY?

This month, Magic Theatre presents the world premiere of *Hillary and Soon-Yi Shop For Ties*, a comedy satirizing celebrity and the state of modern womanhood. Playwright Michelle Carter blends songs and drama in her new work, which opens Magic's new season. Subtitled "a vaudeville for the new millennium," it was a hit at the theater's "Raw Play" workshop series.

Carter takes a sharp and witty look at two women in the news, posing the question, "what were they thinking?" Throughout, she skewers not only American female icons, but introduces a whole cavalcade of famous women, from Persephone to Marilyn Monroe and the Virgin Mary.

A two-time finalist at the Eugene O'Neill National Playwrights Conference, Carter has been featured at the Bay Area Playwrights Festival. Besides completing three full-length stage works and several short plays, she has written two novels and a number of short stories.

The production is directed by Bay Area director/actress/playwright Joan Mankin and stars Amy Tung and Lorri Holt, both of whom developed the title roles in the "Raw Play" workshops. Tung has worked previously with the San Francisco Mime Troupe, and Holt is an award-winning Bay Area thespian.

Hillary and Soon-Yi Shop For Ties previews October 29 through 31 and runs November 5 through 21 at the Magic Theatre in Landmark Building D. Showtimes are Wednesday through Saturday at 8:30pm and Sunday at 2:30. Tickets are $15 to $30. Student and senior rush tickets ($8) are available a half-hour before curtain. November 3 and 4 are "pay-what-you-can" nights. For information, call (415) 441-8822.

Hillary and Soon-Yi Shop for Ties
Photo: David Allen

PASIÓN FLAMENCA

Theatre Flamenco's dancers don't merely dance on the stage – they possess it. The force of their feet upon the floor in rapid succession is a drill, which announces "I am here to the center of the earth." Experience the inherent strength and command in flamenco dance, the erotic tension, and the grace of movement that is at once theatrical and ritualistic. Artistic Director Miguel Santos celebrates Theatre Flamenco's 33rd season with Pasión Flamenca, a new work by the company's award-winning founder, Adela Clara.

Theatre Flamenco was founded in 1966, making it one of the oldest professional multicultural dance companies, and the first resident Spanish dance company, in the country. Theatre Flamenco has expanded its choreography to include the dances of Latin American cultures. The troupe explores a wide range of folk dance forms, including neoclassical, escuela bolera, regional, and flamenco, with fully staged productions built on the award-winning choreography of Santos and Clara.

Theatre Flamenco employs professional dancers and musicians who are traditionally trained, as part of its effort to keep classical Spanish styles in dance and music, and to make a strong artistic statement. While the company maintains a traditional repertoire, it also promotes growth, and frequently performs new works by Santos and guest artists, including such celebrated choreographers as Michael Smuin and José Galvan, of Seville, Spain.

Dedicated to arts and education, the company performs throughout the academic year at Bay Area schools as part of Young Audiences, and has expanded its commitment to education outreach by offering classes a
nd workshops to students of all ages and experience levels.

The company performs throughout the Bay Area during the year, appearing at benefits, festivals, tributes, community events, and workshops. Theatre Flamenco has been selected to perform at the San Francisco Ethnic Festival on a regular basis since its inception, and has been honored by the Festival for its contributions to the city's artistic diversity.

Theatre Flamenco often sponsors guest artists from Spain. Another of its missions is to identify and develop new talent from the community; consequently, the company is known for giving opportunities to local and up-and-coming dancers and musicians.

Pasión Flamenca runs Friday and Saturday, November 26 and 27, at 8pm, and Sunday, November 28, at 2pm, in the Cowell Theater. For tickets and information, call (415) 392-4400.

Theatre Flamenco

AFRIBBEAN CELEBRATION

Some of the top artists and musicians from the Caribbean, West Africa, and the Bay Area perform at the Afribbean '99 Music and Cultural Festival, a two-day gathering for the entire family. Come celebrate the incredible richness and diversity of African culture from around the world. Food vendors, storytellers, and public drumming circles complete the festive, community-style atmosphere.

Afribbean '99 features performances by many internationally-known artists. Hailing from Barbados, the popular band krosfyah plays Caribbean soca/calypso; Charanga Cubana brings Afro-Cuban salsa from that island nation; and local carnaval groups bring alive the costumes and rhythms of Brazil.

Other performances present Prince Eyango from Cameroon, the samba of Brazil Brasil with Sonia Santos and Ana Gazzola, reggae by Victor Essiet and the Mandators, and Soukous Stars. Local artists include Strictly Roots, Amandla Poets, Native Elements, Wagia Band, and Spitfire with Russell Cadogan.

Popular Bay Area DJs are on hand as well. Spinning tunes are Pedro Sababu, DJ Omar, DJ IJ, DJ Jose Ruiz, Clique International, DJ Electro, Robert Rankin, and Spliff Skankin.

A "Digital Village" presents multimedia technology fusing art and computers. The "Learning Tree Stage" includes African storytelling and drumming for young adults, as well as puppet shows and other entertainment. Finally, festival attendees are invited to bring their drums and participate in creating entertainment of their own at the community drum circles.

Afribbean '99 takes place November 13 and 14, Saturday and Sunday from 11am to 10pm in the Herbst and Festival Pavilions. Admission is $10 per day, $14 for both days. Children ages 11 to 14 get half off. For information, call (650) 964-2056 or visit www.afribbean.com.

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS BY ROBERT CAMPBELL

Native San Franciscan Robert Campbell has been flying and taking pictures for over thirty years. An accomplished airline transport rated pilot who has flown for several small airlines, he does most of his own flying while capturing the beauty of this special part of the world.

An exhibit in Fort Mason Foundation's lobby captures Campbell's vision of San Francisco and the parklands in and around the city. The show features prints of the city of San Francisco, the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Point Reyes National Seashore, as well as images of the California coast and the North Bay.

The photographs in this exhibit were taken over the last twenty-five years, although most of the prints date from 1994 to 1999. One part of the exhibit will feature 35mm Leica images taken by Campbell while he was flying air tours over the Bay Area as Captain aboard an old DC 3 operated by a local cookie company.

Campbell's interest in photography dates to his childhood. He studied with Don Worth and Jack Welpott at San Francisco State College in the 1960s, and with Ansel Adams in Yosemite in 1968. He does all of his own color printing.

Most of his aerial work is done from the Helio Courier airplane. Helios were used extensively by Air America during the Vietnam War because of their short takeoff and landing capabilities. The plane's design allows for unobstructed visibility.

Campbell uses Hasselblad, Leica and Nikon cameras for his still aerial photography. The cameras are gyro stabilized, which enables him to work in turbulence and very early or very late in the day.

Campbell's images have been featured in numerous publications including *California Living Magazine* (approximately 50 covers and inside photos), *San Francisco* Magazine, *Arizona Highways* Magazine, *Flying Magazine, Popular Photography, Hasselblad Forum, Over California* (the book), *Harpers* and *Boating*. His work has been featured in exhibits in San Francisco, New York and United States embassies in Europe. He will be profiled on the November 21 show of *Bay Area Backroads*.

Robert Campbell's Aerial Photographs are on display in the Fort Mason Foundation Lobby from November 3 through December 31, open from 9am to 5pm daily. On Wednesday, November 3 the exhibit is also open until 7:30pm. For more information about the exhibit, call (707) 996-8338, or visit www.greaterbayaerials.com

GALLERIES

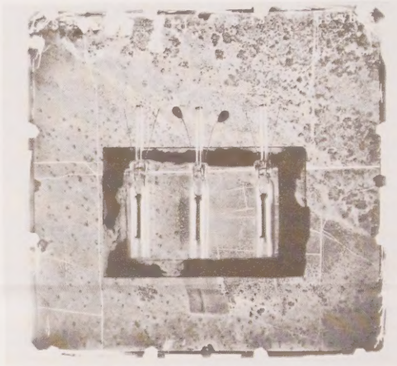
CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus Offices Mon-Thur 8:30am-10pm, Fri 8:30am-4pm, Sat 8:30am-3pm (11/24 Wed 8:30-4pm; closed 11/25&26) Bldg B www.ccsf.cc.ca.us (415) 561-1840
Classes Academic & recreational courses in sculpture, ceramics, drawing, painting, & printmaking. Call for free catalog. Ongoing enrollment for non-credit continuing education classes. See Classes & Workshops section for a sample of courses.
Coffee Gallery Works of art in an informal setting by instructors & students at City College of SF's Fort Mason Art Campus. 11/1-30 Mon-Thur 8am-11pm, Fri-Sun 8am-Midnight (closed 11/25) FREE

Fort Mason Foundation Robert Campbell: Aerial Photographs, an exhibit capturing the beauty of San Francisco & the parklands around the city. Featured are images of the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Point Reyes, and the California Coast. 11/3-12/31 daily 9am-5pm (11/3 1st Wed/mo open until 7:30pm; closed 11/25) FREE adm Main Office Lobby Bldg A www.greaterbayaerials.com (415) 441-3400

The Mexican Museum Gallery & gift shop Wed-Sun 11am-5pm $4-$3, children 12 & under FREE (11/3 1st Wed/mo 11am-7pm FREE; closed 11/25) Bldg D (415) 441-0404
La Patria Portátil This traveling exhibit of oil paintings, historic photographs, & vintage calendars documents the impact of chromo calendars on 20th-century Mexico. The exhibition title refers to these collections of images of a romanticized Mexico that hang in households, classrooms, & businesses everywhere. 10/15-1/2/00
Family Sunday "Sharing History and Making Memories": Artist Sherrie Yazmin leads a calendar-making workshop inspired by the current exhibit, "La Patria Portátil." 11/14 Sun 1pm FREE

Museo ItaloAmericano Gallery & gift shop Wed-Sun Noon-5pm $2-$1, children under 12 FREE (11/3 1st Wed/mo 11am-7pm FREE; closed 11/25) Bldg C www.well.com/~museo (415) 673-2200
Ghirardelli: Portrait Of A Family, 1849-1999 The Museo traces the history of this prominent local family, looking beyond the famous chocolate name to include its long history in the area & its many other achievements. 9/17-1/9/00
La Luce Restaurata—The Restored Light This photo essay documents the restoration of the stained-glass windows of the Basilica of Assisi, which is being partially funded through a grant from the Museo. 7/21-11/14

SF African American Historical & Cultural Society Gallery & gift shop Wed-Sun Noon-5pm $2-$1, children under 12 FREE (11/3 1st Wed/mo 11am-7pm FREE; closed 11/25) Bldg C (415) 441-0640
Africa in South America: The Saramaccan People of Suriname The Saramaccan people are descendents of Africans from Dutch plantations in the Americas who carried out the first successful slave rebellion, around 1670. They established their own community in the Suriname rainforests, in the northeast corner of South America. The exhibit features large & small-scale wood carvings, needlework, & photographs, videos, & audio tapes of the Saramaccan people. 10/13-12/31



The Secret of Electricity
by Rebecca DiDomenico
See SF Craft & Folk Art Museum

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Gallery & gift shop Tue-Fri&Sun 11am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm $3-$1, $5 families, children under 12 FREE (11/3 1st Wed/mo 11am-7pm & Sat 10am-Noon FREE; closed 11/25) Bldg A www.sfcraftandfolk.org (415) 775-0990
Beyond The Obvious: Rethinking Jewelry Six artists who make conceptual jewelry: wearable but still imbued with meaning. Though steeped in traditional metalsmithing techniques, these artists do not identify w/any particular cultural or aesthetic tradition, instead striking out on their own artistic path. 10/23-1/2/00
Rebecca DiDomenico: Found Glass Colorado artist DiDomenico uses the translucent nature of glass to create many different explorations of the medium. She focuses on the ways in which the transparent & translucent qualities of glass provide a way to explore vision & light. 10/27-1/2/00
Art To Wear Fashion Sale The Museum's 7th annual sale features a unique selection of fashion, jewelry, & accessories from Bay Area designers. 11/13 Sat 10am-3:30pm $3 Bldg A
Holiday Gift Shop The Museum's gift shop offers unique handcrafted gifts for the season from around the world—Navajo folk toys, ceramics, jewelry, & other fine items. 11/26-12/24 Sun&Mon 11am-5pm, Tue-Fri 11am-6pm, Sat 10am-6pm
Docent Tours 11/3 Wed & 11/12 Fri 1:30pm, 11/20 Sat 11:30am FREE w/adm

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Tue-Sat 11:30am-5:30pm (11/3 1st Wed/mo 11:30am-7pm; closed 11/25) FREE adm Bldg A www.sfmoma.org/rentindex.htm (415) 441-4777
Paintings Claire Cotts, Michele Muennig, & Juan Carlos Quintana. 11/3-24
Opening Reception Paintings: Cotts, Muennig, & Quintana. 11/3 Wed 5:30-7:30pm FREE adm

AFRICA IN SOUTH AMERICA

Living in one of South America's least-known countries is a group of African-descended people whose culture remains one of the most traditionally African in the New World. This unique culture's life and art is the subject of "Africa in South America," currently showing at the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society.

The Saramaccans of Suriname, who number some 50,000, are descendants of African slaves brought to the Dutch plantations on the Caribbean shores of northeastern South America. Leaders of the first successful slave revolt, around 1670, these people managed to preserve many of their West African traditions. Over time, they established their communities along the Suriname and Saramaccan Rivers in the rainforests of this former colony.

The exhibit displays photographs, wood carvings, furniture, and other works by Saramaccan artists. A display of handicrafts shows needlework items such as large appliqued bedspreads and strip quilts. A video gives visitors an opportunity to see the Saramaccans in their home country, and hear songs and conversations in the local Creole, a language which has preserved more African features than any other New World Creole spoken today.

"Africa in South America: The Saramaccan People of Suriname" opened October 13 and runs through December 31 at the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society in Landmark Building C. The gallery is open Wednesday through Sunday from noon to 5pm. Admission is $1 to $2. Call (415) 441-0640 for information.

NOVEMBER AT A GLANCE

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BATS Improvised Musicals see 11/13
Recess! A Play Night For Grownups see 11/19

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Jewish Genealogical Workshop see 11/21
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SF African American Historical & Cultural Society Africa in South America see First Wednesday 11/3

1 MONDAY

Book Bay Bookstore Bargain paperback & hardcover books, records & CDs to support programs in SF libraries. 11/1-30 daily 11am-5pm (closed 11/25&26) FREE adm Bldg C (415) 771-1076

2 TUESDAY

National Maritime Museum Library (J. Porter Shaw Maritime Library) Premiere collection of maritime history: books, magazines, oral histories, ships' plans & photographs. *Orientations by reservation. 11/2-30 Tue 5-8pm, Wed-Fri 1-5pm,* Sat 10am-5pm (closed 11/25&26) FREE Bldg E (415) 556-9870

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1

3 WEDNESDAY

First Wednesday At Fort Mason Museums & galleries stay open late & admission is FREE Noon-7pm (415) 441-3400 see Galleries

Fort Mason Foundation Lobby Aerial Photographs by Robert Campbell Bldg A

The Mexican Museum "La Patria Portátil" Bldg D

Museo ItaloAmericano "Ghirardelli: Portrait of a Family" & "La Luce Restaurata" Bldg C

SF African American Historical & Cultural Society "Africa in South America: The Saramaccan People of Suriname" Bldg C

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum "Beyond The Obvious: Rethinking Jewelry" & "Rebecca Di Domenico: Found Glass" Bldg A

SFMOMA Rental Gallery Paintings by Cotts, Muennig, & Quintana. Opening reception 5:30-7:30pm Bldg A

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Tour Docent tours of current exhibits. 11/3 Wed & 11/12 Fri 1:30pm, 11/20 Sat 11:30am FREE w/adm SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Bldg A (415) 775-0990

Human Development & Evolution Lectures The Stanford Women's Club of SF sponsors a lecture series on biology, psychology, genetics, anthropology, & child development. 10/6-11/15 Mon, Tue or Wed 10am-Noon $12/lecture, $60/series Bldg C (415) 383-1604

The Hand As A Driver Of Human Cognitive Development Guest speaker Frank Wilson is Medical Director of the Peter F. Ostwald Health Program for Performing Artists, & author of *The Hand: How Its Use Shapes the Brain, Language, & Human Culture.* 10/6 Wed 10am-Noon

The Changing Perceptions Of Reality & Self In Children Guest speaker is Alison Gopnik, professor of psychology at the University of California at Berkeley. Her research focuses on the relationship between language & cognitive development in childen. 10/13 Wed 10am-Noon

The Origins Of "Physical Genius" Guest speaker Richard Ivry is professor of psychology at the University of California at Berkeley. His research focuses on studying the neural basis of cognition & how neural systems contribute to normal & extraordinary human performance. 10/26 Tue 10am-Noon

Darwin & Current Critiques Of His Theories Guest speaker William Durham is professor of anthropology at Stanford, a MacArthur Prize winner, & author of *Co-evolution: Genes, Culture, & Human Diversity.* His research studies the interaction of genetic & cultural change in human populations. 11/3 Wed 10am-Noon

Genetic Mechanisms Of Evolution Matthew Scott, professor in genetics & developmental biology at Stanford, discusses the relationships among gene products & the mechanisms through which they govern development. 11/10 Wed 10am-Noon

Motivating Children To Learn Guest speaker Al Mayberry is Director of the Integrated Products Library, & a member of Marin Primary & Middle School. He developed the idea of high motivation, project-based learning. 11/15 Mon 10am-Noon

Art Law Workshops California Lawyers for the Arts' ongoing lecture series features industry professionals on a variety of issues faced by today's artist. 11/3&17 Wed 7-8:30pm $15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card California Lawyers for the Arts Bldg C (415) 775-7200 ●

Introduction To Nonprofit Organizations Learn the difference between nonprofit & for-profit corporations, & how to set up an organization: articles of incorporation, bylaws, the federal tax-exempt application. 11/3

Housing Rights For Live/Work Tenants A housing attorney discusses the rights of tenants living in live/work spaces. Topics include landlord/tenant law, evictions, & rental agreements. 11/17

San Francisco Travelers' Circle Monthly informal gathering of independent travelers sharing tips, stories, & dreams of global adventure over a cup of coffee in Café Franco. 7-8:30pm FREE Hostelling International/Fisherman's Wharf, Upper Fort Mason Bldg 240 www.norcalhostels.org (415) 882-7472

Smuin Ballets/SF Two world premieres mark the beginning of the company's fall season: *Dream,* a pas de deux set to the music of Frederic Chopin; *Les Noces (The Wedding),* inspired by the Igor Stravinsky work of the same name. Dances from the Smuin repertoire: *Quattro a Verdi* & *Chants D'Auvergne.* 11/3-21: 11/3-7 Wed/Fri/Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm; 11/11-21 Thur&Fri 8pm, Sat 2&8pm, Sun 2pm $50-$25 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card www.smuinballets.com Cowell Theater (415) 978-2787 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

4 THURSDAY

BATS: The Belfry Players The newest troupe of Bay Area Theatresports players performs tournament-style improv. 11/4-18 Thur 8pm: 11/4 Benefit for Reye's Syndrome $10, 11/11&18 $7 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

5 FRIDAY

Farallon Island Nature Cruises Naturalist-led excursions to the Farallon Islands National Wildlife Refuge, the largest seabird rookery in the eastern Pacific outside Alaska. See puffins, cormorants, & other seabirds, plus seals, dolphins, & maybe even blue & humpback whales. 6/5-11/28 Fri-Sun 8:30am-4:30pm $65-$60/person res. req. group rates available Oceanic Society Bldg E (415) 474-3385

Art Materials Tools Of The Trade Show Amsterdam Art holds its annual exposition of art supplies from more than 70 manufacturers. Artists demonstrate airbrushing, mat cutting, printmaking, & other techniques. A series of seminars covers topics such as pricing, marketing, portfolios, & working w/galleries. 11/5-7 Fri 10am-8pm, Sat & Sun 10am-6pm Herbst Pavilion (888) 323-5454, ext. 460

Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale Handcrafted, high-quality bracelets, earrings, necklaces, pendants & rings from Taxco, Mexico. Unusual designs, great prices. Presented by Hi-Ho Silver. 11/5&6 Fri&Sat 10am-4:30pm Gatehouse 11/19-21 Fri-Sun 10am-3:30pm Bldg A FREE adm (415) 771-4446

Gentle Wind Project Special Healing Event The public is invited to experience Unique Healing Technology at an open house & seminar. Gentle Wind presents handheld instruments designed to "provide ongoing emotional stability, & help alleviate anxiety, depression, grief, stress-related conditions, & most conflicts in relationships." Open House 7-8pm FREE, seminar 8-10pm $15-$10/person Firehouse (800) 545-7847

Playwrights' Center Of SF Meetings for new & experienced playwrights. Informal group discussions & staged readings of members' original works in progress, followed by audience critique. 7:30pm $5 Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D (415) 626-4603

Bay Area Theatresports Tournament Teams of actors from Bay Area Theatresports compete in head-to-head improvisation. 11/5-19 Fri 8pm $10 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Art Materials Tools Of The Trade Show see 11/5

Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties Subtitled "a vaudeville for the new millennium," this world premiere by Michelle Carter takes an acute look at the two women who most evoke the question "What was she thinking?" A cabaret of American female icons, *Hillary & Soon-Yi* features appearances by Marilyn Monroe, Persephone, & the Virgin Mary. Previews 10/29-31 Fri&Sat 8:30pm, Sun 2:30pm. Runs 11/5-21 Wed-Sat 8:30pm, Sun 2:30pm $30-$15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Magic Theatre Bldg D (415) 441-8822 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●

6 SATURDAY

Madeline "In an old house in Paris that was covered w/vines, lived twelve little girls in two straight lines." The children's book comes to life as Madeline joins the gypsy carnival. It's a play & circus all rolled into one. 10/23-11/21 Sat 1pm, Sun 1& 3:30pm $8-$5 "Friends" $1 off Young Performers Theatre Bldg C, (415) 346-5550 ●

BATS Improvised Shakespeare Improvisers from Bay Area Theatresports perform spontaneous Shakespeare, based on audience suggestions. 8pm $12 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Flash Family ImprovWorks theater troupe, SF's longest-running improv family, is back for their last few shows of the millennium. Spontaneous songs & scenes are all based on audience input. 11/6-20 Sat 8:30pm $14-$7 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D (415) 885-5678 ●

That Time Of The Month Again An all-female troupe of improvisers from Bay Area Theatresports performs a late-night show. 10:30pm $7 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Art Materials Tools Of The Trade see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
Madeline see 11/6 ●

7 SUNDAY

Pachamama Alliance: Lighten Your Footprint The Pachamama Alliance, an SF-based nonprofit dedicated to preserving the world's tropical rainforests, presents an evening w/author Vicki Robin. Robin, co-author of *Your Money or Your Life,* discusses ways of being mindful of daily activities that can honor the Earth. 6:30-9pm $12, $10 adv Bldg A (415) 561-4522

BATS Sunday Players This up-and-coming Bay Area Theatresports troupe performs various forms of improvised theater. 11/7-21 Sun 8pm $6 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5

8 MONDAY

Questions You've Always Wanted To Ask Your Doctor The Northern California Cancer Center presents this program moderated by KPIX newswoman Kate Kelly. Speakers & panelists discuss various health matters, including menopause, cancer, & acupuncture. 9-11:30am $35 Bldg A (510) 429-2504

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1

9 TUESDAY

Family Winemakers Of California More than 175 vintners present the most comprehensive tasting of California wines in the country. The event includes fine foods & a silent auction of rare vintages. 5:30-8pm $35, $25 adv Festival Pavilion www.familywinemakers.org (415) 441-FMTS

Fuji & ASMP Present Will Crockett The American Society for Media Photographers hosts a seminar w/photographer Will Crockett on making it in the commercial photographic business. Crockett, who has surveyed & interviewed more than 150 photographers in preparation for this workshop, discusses marketing, organization, digital photography, pricing, invoicing, & reuse fees. 6pm social hour, 7-10pm lecture $25 Bldg A (415) 777-1070

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

10 WEDNESDAY

Creating Healthy Schools: Public Forum A guest speaker, panel of experts, & audience Q&A address what can be done to improve schools. Co-sponsored by the SF Education Fund, USF School of Education, & Coro Northern California. 7-9pm FREE Bldg A (415) 912-2929

Prostate Cancer Support Group The Prostate Awareness Foundation integrates diet, vitamins, & exercise w/more traditional approaches to the healing of prostate cancer. Survivors & their families are invited to explore the alternatives. 7:15-9:45pm FREE Gatehouse (415) 564-9642

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National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Human Development/Evolution see 11/3
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●

11 THURSDAY

Liebovian Hypnosis For Smokers Stop smoking now! Richard Liebow has helped hundreds of smokers break the nicotine habit in just one session. 6:30-9:30pm $44 Bldg C (415) 928-2851

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National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
BATS: The Belfry Players see 11/4 ●
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●

12 FRIDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Bay Area Theatresports Tournament see 11/5 ●
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Tour see 11/6

13 SATURDAY

Fort Mason Center Tour Take a guided walk through this cultural & recreational facility, home to 40 arts, environmental & cultural nonprofit organizations. Museums, theaters, galleries, classes & workshops utilize these converted military warehouses. Sat 11am-12:30pm FREE (call to reserve space) Bldg A (415) 441-3400

Alcoholics Anonymous Weekly meetings w/discussion, speakers & support for recovering sober alcoholics. Coffee served. 11/13-28 Sat 9-11am, Sun 8-9pm FREE Bldg C (415) 621-1326

Art To Wear Fashion Sale The SF Craft & Folk Art Museum's 7th annual sale features a unique selection of fashion, jewelry, & accessories from Bay Area designers. 10am-3:30pm $3 Bldg A (415) 775-0990

Afribbean '99 Music & Cultural Festival Artists & performers from Barbados, Cameroon, Cuba, & Brazil celebrate the cultures of the Caribbean & Africa. Local performers include Amandla Poets, Native Elements, & Fua Dia Congo. A high-energy, fun event for the whole family. 11/13&14 Sat &Sun 11am-10pm $14-$7, seniors (over 50) & kids (under 10) FREE Herbst & Festival Pavilions www.afribbean.com (650) 964-2056

King & Queen Of The River Stan Garvey, author of *King & Queen Of The River,* gives a slide presentation about the twin paddlewheel riverboats *Delta King* & *Delta Queen.* Built in Stockton during the 1920s, these luxury steamwheelers carried passengers & freight between San Francisco & Sacramento until 1940. Those attending the presentation can enter a raffle to win a seven-day cruise aboard the *Delta Queen* on the Tennessee, Ohio, & Mississippi Rivers. 5:15pm $4 National Maritime Museum Library Bldg E (415) 556-9874

Bay Area Theatresports Improvised Musicals A different, improvised musical genre each week. 11/13 "Goldrush Musical," 11/20 "Gangster Musical." 11/13&20 Sat 8pm $12 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card BATS Center for Improvisational Theatre Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 474-8935 ●

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
Madeline see 11/6 ●
Flash Family see 11/6 ●

14 SUNDAY

Food Addicts Anonymous Weekly meeting of 12-step program for people w/eating disorders. 11/14-28 Sun 8:30-11am FREE Bldg C (415) 673-4130

Mexican Museum Family Sunday "Sharing History & Making Memories": Artist Sherrie Yazmin leads a workshop in making calendar art inspired by the current exhibit, "La Patria Portátil." 1pm FREE The Mexican Museum Bldg D (415) 441-0404

Duke Ellington Society Monthly meeting of organization dedicated to the legendary composer. This month's topic is "Birthday Presence," a look at the centennial reissues of Such Sweet Thunder, Ellington At Newport, & A Drum Is A Woman, plus the three-CD compilation The Duke. 2pm $3 Gatehouse (415) 563-5458

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Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
Madeline see 11/6 ●
BATS Sunday Players see 11/7 ●
Alcoholics Anonymous see 11/13
Afribbean '99 see 11/13

15 MONDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
Human Development/Evolution see 11/3

16 TUESDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

17 WEDNESDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Art Law Workshops see 11/3 ●
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●

18 THURSDAY

International Plastic Modelers Society Monthly meeting of collectors & creators of military & aviation miniatures. 7:30-10:30pm FREE w/$20 annual fee Gatehouse (415) 924-0340

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
BATS: The Belfry Players see 11/4 ●
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●

Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5
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19 FRIDAY

Celebration Of Indigenous Languages This informal conference promotes indigenous languages & recognizes those who have worked to keep Native American culture & literature alive. Lectures, panel discussions, & performances celebrate the indigenous traditions of the West. Sponsored by the Conference of Tlingit Tribes & Clans, The Before Columbus Foundation, Advocates for Indigenous California Language Survival, News from Native California Magazine, the Athabascan Language Consortium, Tagish First Nation, & the Survey of California & Other Indian Languages. 11/19-21 Fri 7:30-9:30pm, Sat 9am-Noon & 2-5pm, Sun 9am-Noon FREE Firehouse (510) 549-3564

13th Annual Studio Sale Women's bags by the Bagg Lady, metal jewelry by Mendy Marks, pottery by Rose Lee, collage jewelry by Ramos Designs, & handwoven clothing by Rhonda Smith. 11/19-21 Fri 5-8pm, Sat&Sun 11am-5pm FREE adm Bldg C (415) 664-7520

Recess! A Play Night For Grownups Lighten up & loosen up w/an evening of theater games & other playful activities. Bring your friends & "play" mates, or make new ones. 7:30-10pm $15 Bldg C (415) 885-5678

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Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Bay Area Theatresports Tournament see 11/5 ●
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●

20 SATURDAY

Psychic Healing Fair Psychic Horizons offers healings & readings on a variety of personal issues, including relationships, health, & career. 1-3pm FREE Bldg C (415) 643-8800

Bargain Book Sale Friends & Foundation of the SF Public Library holds a book sale to raise money for library programs. More than 8,000 new & used titles are available, all for $1 or less. 11/20 &21 Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-3pm FREE adm Bldg A (415) 557-4257

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National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Tour see 11/3
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
Madeline see 11/6 ●
Flash Family see 11/6 ●
Alcoholics Anonymous see 11/13
BATS Improvised Musicals see 11/13
Celebration Of Indigenous Languages see 11/19
Studio Sale see 11/19

21 SUNDAY

Annual Jewish Genealogical Workshop The SF Bay Area Jewish Genealogical Society invites beginning & advanced researchers to a series of classes on international research. Translators & library & computer resources are available. 1-4pm $5 Bldg C (415) 666-0188

Temple Guaracy: Tina de Souza, *Ialorixa* From Brazil Learn about the Afro-Brazilian spiritual way of Umbanda, a sophisticated understanding of natural energy systems based on African Yoruba & other indigenous traditions. 11/21&22 (415) 435-2255

Introductory Workshop The world of the Orixas & the four elements (fire, earth, water & air) are revealed. Learn to develop spiritual dimensions through the use of drums, song & dance. 11/21 Sun 8pm $15 Gatehouse

Gira: Special Traditional Ceremony Through sacred ritual, the energies of the Orixas are accessed through drum, song, & dance in order to balance, heal & refine the physical, emotional, mental & spiritual body. 11/22 Mon 7pm FREE Bldg A

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
Smuin Ballets/SF see 11/3 ●
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 11/5
Hillary & Soon-Yi Shop For Ties see 11/5 ●
Madeline see 11/6 ●
Alcoholics Anonymous see 11/13
Food Addicts Anonymous see 11/13
BATS Sunday Players see 11/7 ●
Celebration Of Indigenous Languages see 11/19
Studio Sale see 11/19
Bargain Book Sale see 11/20

22 MONDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
Temple Guaracy: Gira Ceremony see 11/21

23 TUESDAY

Songscreening A music industry guest screens original songs for possible use in television or film, for placement w/a recording artist, or for an artist development deal. 6:30-11pm $4 plus $75 annual fee Bldg C www.ncsasong.org (650) 654-3966

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

24 WEDNESDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

25 THURSDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2

26 FRIDAY

The Guardsmen Tree Lot Sale of Christmas trees & decorations. Fire retarding & delivery are available. All proceeds benefit underprivileged children & youth. 11/26-12/22 daily 9am-9pm Festival Pavilion (415) 781-6785

Theatre Flamenco: Pasión Flamenca Theatre Flamenco celebrates its 33rd season w/a performance of romantic music & dance of Spain in the 1920s. The shows highlight *el cuplé,* the couples dance that became popular in Spain after World War I. 11/26-28 Fri&Sat 8pm, Sun 2pm $23-$21 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater (415) 392-4400 ●

National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5

27 SATURDAY

Antiques & Collectibles Market Some 100 galleries offer decorative prints, vintage clothing & linens, silver, jewelry, ethnic products, toys, furniture, & more. 11/27&28 Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-5pm $5-$4 Herbst Pavilion (707) 578-7772

Great SF Crystal Fair A magical mix of crystals, minerals, jewels, & the healing arts. Thousands of items at excellent prices. 11/27&28 Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-4pm $4 Bldg A (415) 383-7837

SF Bay Area Postcard Club Monthly meeting *w/program & discussion. Old & new postcards* offered for sale or trade. Noon-3pm FREE adm Bldg C (415) 826-8337

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National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Alcoholics Anonymous see 11/13
The Guardsmen Tree Lot see 11/26
Theatre Flamenco see 11/26 ●

28 SUNDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
Farallon Island Nature Cruises see 11/5
Alcoholics Anonymous see 11/13
Food Addicts Anonymous see 11/13
The Guardsmen Tree Lot see 11/26
Theatre Flamenco see 11/26 ●
Antiques & Collectibles Market see 11/27
Great SF Crystal Fair see 11/27

29 MONDAY

Book Bay Bookstore see 11/1
The Guardsmen Tree Lot see 11/26

30 TUESDAY

The Natural World Of Frans Lanting The American Society Of Media Photographers presents a slide show & lecture w/the acclaimed nature photographer. Lanting has worked for numerous magazines, won several prestigious awards, & published fifteen books. Last year, he was featured in a special article in *National Geographic.* $30-$20, $25-$15 adv Cowell Theater (415) 777-1070

Peace Corps Informational Meeting Find out about volunteer opportunities in international development programs. The Corps is seeking applicants from a variety of backgrounds & sectors for its 27-month assignments. 7-8:30pm Bldg D (415) 977-8800

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National Maritime Museum Library see 11/2
The Guardsmen Tree Lot see 11/26

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CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

PERFORMING ARTS

Acting For Beginners Build self-esteem, confidence, & the ability to speak in public. 9/27-11/15 Mon 7-10pm $225/course Bldg C (415) 824-2281

Bay Area Theatresports™ Classes & workshops in improv & stage work. Weekly performances res rec. FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card. BATS Center For Improvisational Theatre, Bayfront Theater Bldg B www.improv.org (415) 474-8935
- **The Belfry Players** see 11/4
- **Theatresports Tournament** see 11/5
- **Improvised Shakespeare** see 11/6
- **That Time Of The Month Again** see 11/6
- **The Sunday Players** see 11/7
- **Improvised Musicals** see 11/13

Blue Bear School Of American Music Private lessons, group classes & band workshops in Rock, Jazz, Blues, Soul & other popular music styles; instrument/voice, all ages/levels, day/evening. Call for free catalog. Bldg D (415) 673-3600

Casey Gray Theatrical Workshop Casey Ann Gray teaches theater games & techniques for children between the ages of 5 & 17. 11/14 Sun 11am-5:30pm $25-$10 Bldg C (888) 341-3196

ImprovWorks Improvisation training in a noncompetitive, playful atmosphere. Bldgs C&D www.citysearch.com/sfo/improvworks (415) 885-5678
- **Basics Of Improvisation** No exp. req. 10/25-12/6 Mon 7-9:30pm $195/series
- **Building On Basics** Introduction to scenework. 10/19-12/14 Tue 7-9:30pm $195/series
- **Advanced Improv** 10/14-12/16 Thur 7-9:30pm (no class 11/4&25) $195/series
- **Characters** Becoming another person instantly. 10/18-12/13 Mon 7-9:30pm $195/series
- **W4: Who, What, Where, Why** Character work. *10/19-12/14 Tue 7-9:30pm $195/series*
- **Recess! A Play Night For Grownups** 11/19 Fri 7:30-10pm $15

Performing Arts Workshop places performing artists in schools on residency programs & offers workshops & resource materials to educators & artists at school sites. Internships available. Bldg C www.pawsf.org (415) 673-2634

Playwrights' Center Of SF Meetings for new & experienced playwrights. 11/5 Fri 7:30pm $5 Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D www.playwrights.org (415) 626-4603

MARTIAL ARTS

Chinese Martial Arts w/Jack Man Wong Tai Chi & Northern Shaolin for robust health, high spirits, rational thinking & self-defense. 11/3-28 Wed 5:30-7:30pm, Sun 10am-Noon (no class 11/7) $40/mo Bldg C (510) 261-7105

Guang Ping Yang Tai Chi A powerful rare form of Yang Style Tai Chi, taught by Donal Rubbo, Guang Ping Yang Tai Chi Assoc. Pres. 11/2-30 Tue 6-7:30pm $50/mo Bldg C (415) 456-9095

Jing Mo Athletic Assn. Traditional gung-fu hand forms & weapons for exercise/self-defense. Adults & children. 11/12&19 Fri 6:30-9pm $35-$25/mo Bldg C (415) 661-8346

Original Chen Style Taiji Gene Chen teaches relaxation from stress, self-defense against sickness & dangerous attacks, & balance for mind & body. 11/2-30 Tue&Thur 7:45-9:45pm (no class 11/4&25) $75-$65/mo Bldg C (415) 759-9032 or (650) 754-0683

Shaolin Temple & Wudang Mountain Gung Fu Martial art, physical conditioning, internal exercise & meditation. 11/2-30 Tue&Thur 6-7:30pm, Fri 7-8:30pm (no class 11/4, 5, & 25) $55/mo Bldg C (415) 564-9282

Tai Chi Morning Workout Reduce stress & improve health, w/emphasis on balance & centering. Excellent for beginners, taught by certified instructor Zach Ma. 11/2-30 Tue&Thur 8:30-9:30am (no class 11/25) $40/mo Bldg C (650) 755-2661

Yi Chuan Gung Fu: Buddhist Chi Gung Master Cheuk Fung teaches traditional Gung Fu for health, healing & martial arts ability. 11/2-30 Tue & Thur 8-9:30pm (no class 11/4&25) $70/mo Bldg C (510) 352-1263

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Jing Mo Athletic Assn. Traditional gung-fu hand forms & weapons for exercise/self-defense. Adults & children. 11/12&19 Fri 6:30-9pm $35-$25/mo Bldg C (415) 661-8346

Kindermusik With Miss Joanne Music & movement for small children from birth to seven. Age-appropriate instruction in rhythm, melody, listening, & movement. 9/7-12/15 Bldgs C/D (415) 447-8951
- **Under 18 Months** Tue&Wed 11:30am-12:15pm $95/8wks
- **Ages 1½-4 Years** Tue&Wed 10-10:30am, Wed 10:45-11:15am $150/15wks
- **Ages 3½-5 Years** Tue 10:45-11:30am $180/15wks

Musical Theatre Works After-school academy & performance company. Courses (grades 2-12) lead to production of a full-scale, professional-level Broadway musical. Siblings get 10% discount. Bayfront Theater Bldg B (415) 641-5988
- ***Musical Theatre Rehearsal*** 9/8-1/26/00 Wed 4-5:30pm $325/course
- **Advanced Training/Acting** 9/7-1/25/00 Tue 4-5:30pm $190/course
- **Voice Class Master** 9/9-1/27/00 Thur 4-5:30pm $190/course

SF Children's Art Center Art classes for children 27 months to 10 years in collage, drawing, painting, printmaking, & photography. Available for art birthday parties. Classes 9/13-1/22/00 two hours per week various days/times $370-$240/16 wks, $25-$20/drop-in Bldg C www.childrensartcenter.org (415) 771-0292

Young Performers Theatre Dramatic arts classes & productions for children ages 3 & up. Performances $8-$5 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Bldg C (415) 346-5550 ●
- **Theater Arts Academy Classes** Ongoing acting classes for children. $225-$135
- ***Madeline*** 10/23-11/21 Sat 1pm, Sun 1&3:30pm see 11/6

VISUAL ARTS & MEDIA

Al Hayes Advertising Portfolio Learn to solve advertising probems under pressure & turn them into portfolio pieces. For art directors & copywriters. 10/13-2/16/00 Wed 6:30-9:30pm $400/course Bldg C (415) 243-8244

California Lawyers For The Arts Legal referrals & services for individuals & arts organizations of all disciplines. Workshops focus on legal issues faced by artists, musicians & writers. Workshops $15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Bldg C (415) 775-7200 (workshops: ext. 2) ●
- **Introduction To Nonprofit Organizations** Learn the difference between nonprofit & for-profit corporations, & how to set up an organization: articles of incorporation, bylaws, the federal tax-exempt application. 11/3 Wed 7-8:30pm
- **Housing Rights For Live/Work Tenants** A housing attorney discusses the rights of tenants living in live/work spaces. Topics include landlord/tenant law, evictions, & rental agreements. 11/17 Wed 7-8:30pm

CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus Classes in design, drawing, painting, printmaking, ceramics, & sculpture. Call for a catalog. Offices Mon-Thur 8:30am-10pm, Fri 8:30am-4pm, Sat 8:30am-3pm. No classes & offices closed 11/11, 11/24 (after 4pm) & 11/25&26 Bldg B www.ccsf.cc.ca.us (415) 561-1860
- **Painting The Essence Of Flowers In Watercolor** 10/23-12/11 Sat 9am-Noon $110/course
- **Watercolor Workshop: Beyond The Basics** 10/21-12/16 Thur 6:30-9:30pm $125/course

Friends Of Calligraphy: Basic Uncials For beginning calligraphers. Georgianna Greenwood teaches this rounded script. 9/23-11/4 Thur 6:30-9pm $120/course Bldg C (510) 841-6924

Western Public Radio Classes in all aspects of radio: production, technical, & broadcasting. Low-cost studio time available. Bldg D www.westernpublicradio.org (415) 771-1161

EDUCATION

Fort Mason Art Campus Office of Continuing Education offers workshops & classes intended to meet your re-licensing, personal development, avocation, & recreational needs. Call for a free catalog. Offices Mon-Thur 8:30am-10pm, Fri 8:30am-4pm, Sat 8:30am-3pm. No classes & offices closed 11/11, 11/24 (after 4pm) & 11/25&26. Bldg B www.ccsf.cc.ca.us/Continuing_Education (415) 561-1860

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- **What The Heck Is Spec?** In this hands-on workshop, participants learn to develop measurement & manufacturing specs for their garment designs. Find out why specs are critical to any product's success. 11/13 Sat 9:30am-12:30pm $65
- **How To Promote & Sell Your Product** Learn the what, how, when, & where of marketing your wholesale apparel product. Find out about finding buyers, getting free publicity, showing your line, writing an order, & more. 11/20 Sat 10am-2:30pm $85

Improv Comedy Traffic School Laugh while you learn traffic safety. All-day weekends or two weekday evenings. 11/10&11 or 11/17&18 Wed&Thur or 11/22&23 Mon&Tue 5:30-10pm. Also 11/7 Sun & 11/13&20 Sat 9am-5pm $32/course Bldg C/Gatehouse (800) 775-LAFF

The Inquiry Process Transform work into a continuous learning process that lets managers be coaches & turns your business into a "learning organization." 9/13-12/13 Mon 7-9:30pm $675/course Bldg C (510) 482-2239

Puppy Training Puppy-friendly classes that produce people-friendly & mannerly adult dogs. Presented by Sirius Puppy Training. 11/1-29 Mon 6-8pm $145/6wks Bldg C (510) 658-8588

You & Money Introductory Lecture Clinical psychologist Maria Nemeth explains practical & spiritual principles on how to have a powerful relationship w/money. 11/4 Thur 7-9pm FREE Gatehouse (916) 424-1335

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Oceanic Society conducts environmental education & sponsors research expeditions with volunteers. Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Bldg E www.oceanicsociety.org (415) 441-1106
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Sailing Education Adventures A nonprofit community sailing program affiliated w/the US Sailing Assoc., dedicated to providing affordable instruction in the art of sailing. A wide variety of on-the-water activities. Bldg E (415) 775-8779

SF Maritime National Historical Park Offices Mon-Fri 8am-4pm (closed 11/25&26) Bldg E www.nps.gov/safr/local/ lib/libtop.html (415) 556-1659
- **National Maritime Museum Library** (J. Porter Shaw Maritime Library) Collection of maritime history: books, magazines, oral histories, ships' plans & 250,000 photographs. Orientations by reservation; monthly lectures. Library hours Tue 5-8pm, Wed-Fri 1-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm (closed 11/25&26) FREE adm (415) 556-9870

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Feldenkrais: Awareness Through Movement Pleasurable & easy to follow. Relieve muscle tension; improve flexibility & posture. 11/1-12/27 Mon 6-7pm $10/class Bldg C (415) 885-1528

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Greek Folk Dance Anna Efstathiou teaches this timeless & beautiful dance style for festival & taverna enjoyment. Ongoing class, drop-ins welcome. 11/1-29 Mon 8-10pm $13-$10/class Bldg C (510) 339-8357

Institute Of Classical Homeopathy offers a four-year program. Courses & study sessions focus on professional practice of Hahnemannian theory. Sept-June various days/times Bldgs C&D (707) 963-7796

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- **Teen Swing** Learn City/Street Swing & the Lindy Hop Style. 6-7pm
- **Beginning Swing/Jitterbug** Do the boogie-woogie, jump, & jive, East Coast-style. 7-8pm
- **Beginning/Intermediate Lindy Hop** Add the Lindy Hop & Charleston to your repertoire. 8-9pm

Temple Guaracy Of SF Introductory Workshop Find out about the Afro-Brazilian spiritual way of Umbanda, a sophisticated understanding of natural energy systems based on African Yoruba & other indigenous traditions. Tina de Souza of Temple Guaracy in São Paulo, Brazil, introduces the world of the Orixas, the primordial cosmic energies. Learn how the Umbanda tradition uses song, dance, & drumming in its relationship w/the spiritual dimensions of life. A free ceremony takes place the following day (see 11/22). 11/21 Sun 8pm $15 Gatehouse (415) 435-2255

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SF Craft & Folk Art Museum (415) 775-0990
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Bay Area Theatresports/Bayfront Theater (415) 474-8935
California Lawyers For The Arts: Arts Arbitration & Mediation Services (415) 775-7715
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- Coffee Gallery (415) 561-1840
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Cooks & Company (415) 673-4137
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Musical Theatre Works (415) 641-5988
Ploughshares Fund (415) 775-2244

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Italian American Cultural Center (415) 673-2200
Museo ItaloAmericano (415) 673-2200
Performing Arts Workshop (415) 673-2634
SF African American Historical & Cultural Society (415) 441-0640
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Tuolumne River Preservation Trust (415) 292-3531
Young Performers Theatre (415) 346-5550

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Magic Theatre (415) 441-8001 office, (415) 441-8822 box office
Mexican Museum (415) 202-9700
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Western Public Radio (415) 771-1160
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- Historic Documents Department (415) 556-9876
- National Maritime Museum Library/J. Porter Shaw Library (415) 556-9870

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